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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

ROBERT STOUT,) Case No. 4:20-cv-08370-YGR
)
Plaintiff,) NOTICE OF UNAVAILABILITY OF
) PLAINTIFF'S COUNSEL
vs.)
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CITY OF ANTIOCH, a public entity; Antioch)
Police Department Corporal JASON C.)
VANDERPOOL, individually; Antioch Police)
Department Officers ERIC A. McMANUS and)
CAESER E. TANGUMA, individually; and)
DOES 1–30, Jointly and Severally,)
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Defendants.)
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TO THE COURT, TO ALL PARTIES, AND TO THEIR COUNSEL OF RECORD:

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that Plaintiff's counsel, Sanjay S. Schmidt, of The Law Office of Sanjay S. Schmidt, will be unavailable for any purpose whatsoever from April 18, 2021 through and including May 20, 2021. Such unavailability includes, but is not limited to, responding to telephone calls, responding to e-mails, receiving notices of any kind, receiving notice of or responding to any discovery requests, responding to or appearing for ex parte applications, motions, and/or other requests, appearing in court, attending depositions, or receiving notice of any subpoenas, among other things. This notice is given pursuant to *Tenderloin Housing Clinic v. Sparks*, 8 Cal.App.4th 299 (1992), and subsequent authority, which restricts the conduct of any attorney who purposely attempts to schedule a conflicting proceeding without good cause, and which fails to respect the legitimate interests of fellow members of the bar. Given the undersigned counsel's unavailability and this notice, the undersigned will proceed under the assumption that opposing counsel will honor this notice. In case of emergencies or highly time-sensitive issues that cannot wait, please contact a staff member at the undersigned's office, at (415) 563-8583.

Dated: April 14, 2021

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